

1 **IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

2 Application Serial No. 09/514,460
3 Filing Date 02/28/2000
4 Inventorship Amit et al.
5 Assignee Microsoft Corporation
6 Group Art Unit 2143
7 Examiner Boutah, Alina
8 Attorney's Docket No. MS1-2793US
9 Title: GUARANTEED EXACTLY ONCE DELIVERY OF MESSAGES

10 **RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED**
11 **MARCH 20, 2006**

12 To: Commissioner for Patents
13 P.O. Box 1450
14 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

15 From: Tim R. Wyckoff (Tel. 206.315.4001 x110; Fax 206.315.4004)
16 Customer No. 22801
17 Lee & Hayes PLLC
18 421 W Riverside Avenue, Suite 500
19 Spokane, WA 99201

20
21 *OK to*
22 *enter*
23 *ANB*
24
25